

Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary

Application No.

09/558,334

Applicant(s)

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Examiner

Adrienne C. Johnstone

Art Unit

1733

All Participants:

(1) Adrienne C. Johnstone.

(2) Raja Saliba.

Status of Application: amended

(3) _____

(4) _____

Date of Interview: 30 December 2003

Time: _____

Type of Interview:

☒ Telephonic

☐ Video Conference

☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant ☐ Applicant's representative)

Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes, provide a brief description:

Part I.

Rejection(s) discussed:

none

Claims discussed:

none

Prior art documents discussed:

none

Part II.

SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:

The examiner acknowledged receipt of applicants' amendment after final rejection filed December 1, 2003 and advised applicants to file a Notice of Appeal to avoid abandonment of the application after the 6-month statutory period ending January 2, 2004.

Part III.

- ☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.
- ☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.

(Examiner/SPE Signature)

(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)